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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of Philippe DU MESNIL et al.

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571-273-8300

Application No. 10/722,467

Art Unit 1617

Filed November 28, 2003

Examiner Leonard M. Williams

For: PROCESS FOR TREATING LAMENESS BY ADMINISTRATION OF A  
BISPHOSPHONIC ACID DERIVATIVE

## TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Transmitted herewith, by facsimile, please find:

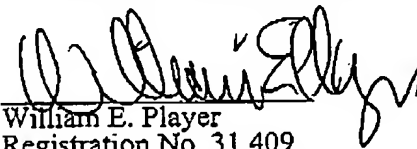
- ☒ "Amendment, Request For Acknowledgment Of Foreign Priority Under 35 USC 119, And Request For Examiner's Initialed Form PTO 1449," including attachments.
- ☐ Petition for extension of time
- ☐ Fee payment      ☐ Payment Form PTO-2038 (credit card) for \$ \* is attached.
- ☐ Charge \$ \* to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.
- ☐ Small entity status established in connection with the subject application.

Fee Calculation					
Excess Claims					
	Nº of Claims	Highest Nº Paid For	Excess Claims	Small Entity Fee	Large Entity Fee
Total	*	⊖ * =	0	⊗ \$25 = \$	⊗ \$50 = \$
Ind.	*	⊖ * =	0	⊗ \$100 = \$	⊗ \$200 = \$
( ) Multiple Dependent Claims (1 <sup>st</sup> Filing)				⊗ \$180 =	⊗ \$360 = \$
Excess Claims Fee				\$	\$
Extension of Time Fee				\$	\$
Other:				\$	\$
Total Fee Due				\$0	\$0

- ☒ If a petition for extension of time is necessary, but not enclosed, then this acts as the petition. Charge any fees additionally necessary in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

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**AMENDMENT,**  
**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF FOREIGN PRIORITY UNDER 35 USC 119,**  
**AND**  
**REQUEST FOR EXAMINER'S INITIALED FORM PTO 1449**

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Sir:

The instant paper responds to the Office Action mailed July 19, 2005.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.